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Shunji HARADA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2005\_1051A  
Serial No. 10/541,413 : Group Art Unit 2131  
Filed July 5, 2005 : Examiner Longbit Chai  
SOFTWARE-MANAGEMENT SYSTEM, : **Mail Stop: Amendment**  
RECORDING MEDIUM, AND :  
INFORMATION-PROCESSING DEVICE :

**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

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